State of Arizona Senate Forty-fifth Legislature Second Regular Session 2002

CHAPTER 195

SENATE BILL 1099

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 32-3402, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY EXAMINERS.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

Section 1. Section 32-3402, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

32-3402. <u>Board of occupational therapy examiners; members;</u> <u>qualifications; terms; compensation</u>

- A. The board of occupational therapy examiners is established and consists of five members appointed by the governor. Each board member shall be a resident of the state at the time of appointment. The governor shall appoint two persons who are not engaged, directly or indirectly, in the provision of health care services to serve as public members. The other three members shall have at least three years of experience in occupational therapy or teaching in an accredited occupational therapy education program in this state immediately prior to appointment and to be licensed under this chapter. The governor may select board members from a list of licensees submitted by the Arizona occupational therapy association, inc. or any other appropriate organization.
- B. The term of office of board members is three years to begin and end on the third Monday in January. A member shall not serve more than two consecutive terms.
- C. The board shall meet in January of each year to elect a chairman and other officers. At least one additional meeting shall be held before the end of each calendar year. Other meetings may be convened at the call of the chairman or the written request of any two board members. A majority of the members of the board shall constitute a quorum. All meetings of the board shall be ARE open to the public, except that the board may hold closed sessions to approve examinations or, upon AT the request of an applicant who fails an examination, to prepare a response indicating any reason for his THE APPLICANT'S failure.
- D. Members EACH MEMBER of the board are IS eligible to receive compensation as determined pursuant to section 38-611 IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR EACH REGULAR OR SPECIAL BOARD MEETING THE MEMBER ATTENDS and are entitled to IS ELIGIBLE FOR reimbursement for all expenses necessarily and properly incurred in attending BOARD meetings of the board.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY 9, 2002.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY 9, 2002.

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